TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION TITLE:	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II -
	Review and Release Processing

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CERTIFICATION: I certify that, to my knowledge, this is an accurate and complete description of

the essential functions and the conditions required for this position.

APPROVED BY: Stuart Jenkins DATE: 07/19/2012

POSITION #: 051108

I. JOB SUMMARY

Performs routine administrative support and technical program assistance work. Work involves disseminating information; maintaining filing systems; performing administrative support work; and training others. Works under moderate supervision with limited latitude for the use of initiative and independent judgment.

II. ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- A. Prepares, edits, and distributes correspondence, reports, studies, forms, and documents; prepares and disseminates information concerning agency programs and services; and assists in researching, writing, designing, and editing agency publications.
- B. Maintains filing and record keeping systems; responds to inquiries and interprets rules, regulations, policies, and procedures; and assists in the development of administrative or technical assistance policies and procedures.
- C. Performs criminal information searches and retrieval using Texas Department of Public Safety criminal history system access.
- D. Plans, organizes, and assigns the work of others; and trains and provides technical assistance to others.
- * Performs a variety of marginal duties not listed, to be determined and assigned as needed.

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III. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Education, Experience, and Training
 - 1. Graduation from an accredited senior high school or equivalent or GED.
 - 2. Four years full-time, wage-earning clerical, secretarial, administrative support, or technical program support experience. Thirty semester hours from a college or university accredited by an organization recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) or by the United States Department of Education (USDE) may be substituted for each year of experience on a year-for-year basis for a maximum substitution of two years.
 - 3. Criminal justice experience preferred.
 - 4. Computer operations experience preferred.

Must have or be able to obtain a certificate of course completion for the Texas Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (TLETS) policy and procedures training from the Texas Department of Public Safety within six months of employment date.

Must meet and maintain TLETS access eligibility for continued employment in position. For details see: http://www.tdcj.state.tx.us/divisions/hr/hr-home/tletseligibility.html

B. Knowledge and Skills

- 1. Knowledge of office practices and procedures.
- 2. Knowledge of business terminology, spelling, punctuation, and grammar.
- 3. Knowledge of agency and departmental organizational structure, policies, procedures, rules, and regulations preferred.
- 4. Skill to communicate ideas and instructions clearly and concisely.
- 5. Skill to coordinate with other staff, departments, officials, agencies, organizations, and the public.
- 6. Skill in the use of computers and related equipment in a stand-alone or local area network environment.
- 7. Skill in the use of Microsoft Office Suite or equivalent to include word processing, spreadsheet, database, or presentation software programs.

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- 8. Skill to plan, organize, and assign the work of others.
- 9. Skill to review technical data and prepare technical reports.
- 10. Skill to type 45 words per minute (with no more than 10 errors) preferred.

IV. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS WITH OR WITHOUT REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION

- A. Ability to walk, stand, sit, kneel, push, stoop, reach above the shoulder, grasp, pull, bend repeatedly, identify colors, hear with aid, see, write, count, read, speak, analyze, alphabetize, lift and carry under 15 lbs., perceive depth, operate a motor vehicle, and operate motor equipment.
- B. Conditions include working inside, working around machines with moving parts and moving objects, radiant and electrical energy, working closely with others, working alone, working protracted or irregular hours, and traveling by car, van, bus, and airplane.
- C. Equipment (machines, tools, devices) used in performing only the essential functions include computer and related equipment, typewriter, calculator, copier, fax machine, telephone, and automobile.